

Local Rule 21. Petitions for Writs of Mandamus and Prohibition

- (a) Caption.** A petition for writ of mandamus or writ of prohibition pursuant to Rule 21 shall not bear the name of the district judge, but shall be entitled simply, "In re _____, Petitioner." To the extent that relief is requested of a particular judge, unless otherwise ordered, the judge shall be represented pro forma by counsel for the party opposing the relief, who shall appear in the name of the party and not that of the judge.
- (b) Number of Copies.** Four copies shall be filed with the original.